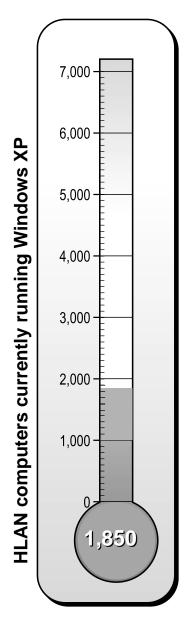
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## **Hanford XP Migration Project update**



Lockheed Martin Information Technology's XP Project team wants you to be as comfortable as possible with the XP migration. The process has been designed so that you can easily install the new software. You can call the team to perform the migration (with a charge code), but LMIT will take the same steps you would yourself, and no less time will be expended.

For reasons of stability, a simple upgrade from Windows 98 to XP was not an option, so the migration process will save your data, format the hard disk, install the new operating system and then replace the data. The end result is a more stable and dependable platform.

Your individual data will reside in the "My Documents" folder after the migration, if that's where the data was stored before the switch. Otherwise, it will be downloaded in either the "Common Files" directory on your desktop or in a zip file on the root of the C: drive with the same name as the computer property number. Refer to the XP Web site for more information on file locations after migration.

Most applications cannot be directly copied from one operating system to another, so it's not feasible for the process to reinstall all applications previously on the machine. A list of your previously installed applications that are still available in Software Distribution is placed on your desktop, and you may need to reinstall applications directly from that link.

Thoroughly reading and following the instructions provided on the XP Web site should prevent most problems. Since XP is the new site standard operating system, technical support is available for migration or post-installation problems. Of the 1,850 Hanford computers moved so far, only a small number have had problems with the migration, and LMIT has listened to those users to improve the process and instructions.

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